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Prof. W. B. Bottomley says that a woman who had allowed her skirt to trail in the west end streets for half an hour, sent it to a laboratory, where it was found to contain 16,500,000 microbes.

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DAVENPORT STREET

FATAL TRAIN WRECK.

Northwestern Freight Collides With Engine. Three Killed.

One of the most disastrous train wrecks in the history of this division of the Northwestern road occurred late last Thursday night near Van Buskirk. A light engine south bound from Ironwood in charge of Conductor Parsons and Engineer Fitzgerald met in head on collision with a log train in charge of Conductor Wade and Engineer Kano. The accident occurred on a curve and both trains were going at a good rate of speed. Firemen Ryland and Curran were killed and Engineer Fitzgerald received injuries which terminated in his death at Ironwood a few hours later. Conductor Parsons on the lone engine sighted the log train when the trains were only a few car lengths apart and knowing that a smash-up could not be averted shouted to his crew to jump. Parsons managed to do so but the engineer and fireman were less fortunate and were crushed between their engine and tender. The men on the logging engine also saw what was about to happen and, with the exception of the fireman, jumped. In jumping, Conductor Parsons struck on a stump receiving a wound in the abdomen. Two brakemen named Beard and Jerry were injured but not seriously. Both locomotives were completely demolished as was also several cars. The wreck tied up freight traffic on the road for nearly an entire day and passenger trains were obliged to go around by Watersmeet and Monroe.

We learn that the wreck was the result of a mistake made by W. J. Doherty, a dispatcher in the Ashland office. Doherty was at one time agent for the Northwestern in this City and is well known here. He had only been serving as dispatcher for two nights previous to the accident.

Engineer Fitzgerald and the two firemen who met their deaths were well known along the road and had many friends in Rhinelander. Fireman Curran was a nephew to John C. Curran, a former resident of this City. He lived in Wausau. Ryland was son-in-law to Mr. Meyers of Monroe. John Fitzgerald of Ironwood was one of the best known and most competent engineers on the road.

GOES TO PLYMOUTH.

Reverend A. G. Wilson has accepted a call to the Congregational Church at Plymouth, Wis. Mr. Wilson has been pastor of the Congregational Church in this City for six years and during that time he and his family have made many friends, who regret his departure and who wish them success in their new field of work. The family are now packing their household effects preparatory to moving some time next week.

ADMIRAL GETS TEN YEARS.

The emperor has confirmed the sentences passed by the court martial on Vice Admiral Nebogatoff and the other naval officers. Nebogatoff will be imprisoned in a fortress for ten years and the others for various periods.

The Russian prisons have become so crowded that musty, unwholesome old fortresses are being used as prisons and it is one of those that Nebogatoff will spend his time, for the next ten years, because he did not preserve the high code of Russian naval etiquette and let Japan utterly wipe them from the face of the earth.

NOT A MIND READER.

A groceryman in a nearby town happened around when a farmer was unloading several boxes of groceries which he had ordered from a Chicago house. The groceryman asked the farmer the price of the articles purchased and told him he could sell them just as cheap. The farmer then said: "Is that so? I take the home paper, but you seldom or never advertise and if you do you never quote prices. The Chicago stores advertise. I am not a minder!" Ex.

ON FULL SALARY LIST.

Chief J. D. Cole of the fire department will hereafter spend his entire time in his office at Hose House No. 1. At the last meeting of the council, Chief Cole was placed on the full salary list and the compensation is such that the Chief can afford to devote all his time to the work.

ROLLER SKATING POPULAR AS EVER

The amusement loving portion of our City seem to appreciate the genuine article as attested by the large number both old and young, who are attending the roller rink daily. The management are giving a series of evening pictures this week as an extra attraction.

GETS HIGH POST AT PANAMA.

According to a letter received, Joseph Ripley, formerly superintendent of the "Soo" ship canal, has been promoted to assistant engineer of the Panama canal. The salary is increased from \$7,000 to \$15,000 a year. Ripley will have charge of the construction of locks.

COUNTY BOARD MEETS.

A special session of the County Board met Tuesday afternoon to take up some business laid over at the January meeting. Supervisor Taylor acted as Clerk at the meeting, due to the illness of County Clerk Carr.

OBITUARIES.

Win. Williams of Hackley, aged 51 years, died Friday afternoon at St. Mary's Hospital where he had been an inmate only a few days. Williams was afflicted with heart trouble. He was a trusted and popular employee of the Phelps-Bonelli Lumber Company. A family survives him. The remains were shipped to his former home in Grand Rapids, Mich., for burial.

Alger P. Merrill, aged sixteen years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Merrill died Friday night at his home on the North Side. The young man had been a sufferer for several months with tuberculosis. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from the M. E. Church, Rev. Evans officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Hamilton are mourning the death of their infant son which occurred Thursday. The funeral was held Friday from the house, Rev. Evans officiating.

ART EXHIBIT.

The art exhibit at the Library last week Friday, Saturday and Sunday afternoon called out for the most part the lovers of good pictures. The collection consisted of about 60 originals in oil, water colors, prints and etchings, by well known artists, Morgan, Whistler, Pennell, Farrar, Hassam, Helen Hyde and others. The most expensive picture was a sunrise on the Maine coast, by the artist Childe Hassam—value \$350.00.

The most beautiful pictures in the eyes of the majority of the spectators were those hung on the north wall of the room and consisted principally of scenes of western landscapes. They were grouped artistically and called forth much admiration.

This collection is under the management of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, which exacts only the charge of transportation. The collection was well worth seeing and many of those who went to see it, expressed the wish that other traveling collections of pictures might be obtained.

POSITIONS UNDER CIVIL SERVICE.

The Wisconsin State Civil Service Commission announces forthcoming examinations as follows:

Assistant chemist in the office of the Dairy and Food Commission, one position, salary \$50 per month.

Examiner in the office of the Insurance Commissioner, one position, salary \$1200 per annum.

Physicians in the state hospitals for the insane and feeble minded, competition open to men and women, salaries range from \$75 to \$100 a month and maintenance.

Assistant state veterinarian in the department of the State Veterinarian, salary \$5 per day and expenses.

Mechanic and assistant mechanician in the State University, salary \$75 to \$90 a month.

Janitors in the University, Normal Schools and capitol, salaries range from \$10 to \$75 a month.

Architectural draftsmen in the office of the University architect, two positions, \$80 and \$75 a month.

LEFT THE TAILS ON.

A prominent Rhinelander merchant has a brilliant little nephew who lives on a big farm in South Dakota. Not

unlike the majority of little chaps of his tender years, Tommie is noted

more or less in the household for his

ludicrous pranks, which he is forever

perpetrating upon his elders, and like-

wise for the ridiculous expressions

which are wont to occasionally drop

from his tongue. The other day

Master Thomas sent to the above

mentioned uncle a box containing a

number of delicious products from

the farm among which was a large

juicy ham, and two fat jack rabbits.

The rabbits were dressed with the

exception of their tails which had not

been removed. The uncle thought

this very strange until a short note,

found in the bottom of the box,

scrawled in an untidy boyish hand

explained all. It read:

"Dear uncle, I am sending you sum-

things. I hope you will like them. I

skinned the rabbits but left their tails

on so you would no witch is the ham.

With love,

Tommie.

CHINESE NEW YEAR.

Tuesday was the Chinese New Year and the event was duly observed in appropriate manner by the Chinese population of this City. In front of the laundry on King Street, early that morning there was an explosion of fire crackers the like of which had not been heard only on Independence Day. The event is celebrated by all Celestials everywhere and in the big cities thousands of dollars are spent in fireworks and wine.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS INSTALL.

At the last regular meeting of Oneida Camp 1728 Royal Neighbors the following newly elected officers were installed:

Oricle—Mrs. Anna White.

Vice-Oricle—Mrs. Anna Rothwell.

Past-Oricle—Mrs. Carrie Feazle.

Chancellor—Mrs. Carrie Wright.

Recorder—Mrs. Emily Shelp.

Recover—Mrs. Kate Irick.

Marshal—Mrs. Bertha Roepcke.

Inner-Sen.—Mrs. Frances Whipple.

Outer-Sen.—Mrs. Bertha Barlow.

FULLER HOTEL SOLD.

Minneapolis Man is the New Landlord.

F. T. Coon Retires.

The Fuller Hotel has been sold. F. T. Coon, who has owned the Fuller for several years and has been its landlord, disposed of the property this week to E. D. Townsend, an experienced hotel man, of Minneapolis. Mr. Townsend assumed charge of the Fuller this morning. In the retirement of Mr. Coon from the hotel business Northern Wisconsin loses one of its best known and most popular hotel men. Among the traveling fraternity throughout the state, Fred enjoys a wide acquaintance and the boys figure about the lobby of the Fuller. Mr. and Mrs. Coon intend to continue their residence here and will for the present occupy rooms over B. L. Horr's store on Stevens street. Mr. Coon intends to follow farming and will devote all his time to the working of his farm near the city.

Mr. Townsend, the Fuller's new proprietor, has for years operated hotels in the Twin Cities and at present owns a large hotel in Minneapolis which he has leased. He will endeavor to keep the Fuller up to its high standard of excellence and the house will no doubt continue to hold the big patronage which it has always had under the reign of Landlord Coon.

CONDUCTOR BABCOCK HURT.

B. W. Babcock, the well known Northwestern conductor, met with an accident last Friday afternoon, resulting in the loss of his right arm. Mr. Babcock was running a freight train and they had stopped at Dunham, where they had set out several cars. These cars stood on the switch and the balance of the train, with the engine attached, was standing below them. Mr. Babcock was walking along the train, when he noticed that the air was leaking. He reached over to turn off the air, when the cars which had been set out became loosened and came down unexpectedly and the conductor's arm caught between the draw bars of the cars crushing it badly. Mr. Babcock says that he had no idea whatever that the cars were coming upon him, and did not notice them, as they came down quietly with no noise whatever. The first he knew was when he felt a pinch on his arm, and when he attempted to pull it out he was unable to do so, and it was thus slowly crushed. He was immediately brought to this city and taken to the Union Hospital where it was found necessary to amputate his arm a few inches below the elbow. The physicians are not yet fully satisfied that another amputation will not be necessary but they hope it will not.

IRONWOOD TIMES.

While loading logs near Cavour last Thursday, August Holt, a young man, was struck by a falling timber, resulting in serious injuries. The log rolled from the top of the load and struck Holt on the left side, breaking three ribs and it is said that he was also internally hurt. Holt's home was in Escanaba and he was taken to that City. It was at first thought that his injuries would result fatally, but the prospects since appear favorable for his recovery.

WEDDINGS.

Miss Dora Hahn and Fredrick Smith, two young women of this City, were married Tuesday afternoon at the home of Rev. Richard Evans, that clergyman performing the ceremony. The young couple will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rice until spring when they will commence house-keeping. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hahn of the Town of Crescent and is a young lady highly spoken of by all who claim her acquaintance. For several months she has been employed as clerk by A. Lindgren. Mr. Smith holds a position as book-keeper at J. H. Quail & Company's North Side office and has lived among us for the last two years. He has made many friends in the City. Congratulations are in order.

Mrs. M. J. Johnson of Minocqua and Mr. Arthur Blishon of California, were united in marriage at Bessemer, Mich., Jan. 30, 1907. They arrived here last Thursday and will make their home at Mrs. Blishon's summer resort on Mercer lake, some ten miles from Minocqua. The Times extends congratulations—Minocqua Times.

LA FLURE NOT ENGAGED.

The Hubs have been unable to secure the services of catcher Jack La Flure of Beaver Dam for the coming season. La Flure has signed with a team in the Fox River Valley League whereby he will receive a salary of \$100 a month and play only Sunday games. While the management of the Hubs feel a little disappointed over losing La Flure yet it is said that they have another catcher in sight equally as good and perhaps a man who will not demand so much money. They are now in correspondence with this man and a deal will probably be made within a few days.

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NEWS OF A WEEK TERSELY OUTLINED

A SUMMARY OF THE MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS AT HOME AND ABROAD.

TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM

Complete Review of Happenings of Greatest Interest from All Parts of the Globe—The Latest Foreign Information.

RESUME OF THAW TRIAL.

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw took the witness stand in defense of her husband and told the story of her relations with Stanford White, the famous architect who was killed by Harry Thaw. It was the same story she told Harry Thaw in Paris in 1903, when he had asked her to become his wife—the confession of one who felt there was an insurmountable barrier to her ever becoming the bride of the man she loved.

The defense of Harry K. Thaw, under the direction of Attorney Delphin M. Delmas of California, began to assume definite shape and testimony was placed before the jury to the effect that Stanford White had been heard to make a threat to kill the defendant, coupling the threat with the display of a revolver; that Thaw's actions following the killing of White on the roof of Madison Square garden were considered by several eyewitnesses to have been "irrational"; that an uncle of the defendant was insane; that Evelyn Nesbit Thaw passed a note to her husband during dinner at the Cafe Martin the evening of the tragedy; that District Attorney Jerome has this note, and refused, on the demand of the defense, to introduce it in evidence.

District Attorney Jerome's cross-examination of Dr. C. C. Wiley, the first "expert" witness who took the witness stand to try to prove that Harry K. Thaw was insane when he killed Stanford White was merciless and searching, resulting in signs that several of Thaw's lawyers would withdraw from the case. It was reported that Delphin M. Delmas and four of his colleagues were so angered by what they considered the usurpation of authority by Attorney John B. Gleason that they had decided to sever all connection with the case unless he relinquished the leading part.

CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

The house completed and passed the river and harbor appropriation bill, carrying more than \$83,000,000, with sundry amendments, all of which were suggested by the chairman of the committee, Mr. Burton, of Ohio.

The advocates of a 14-foot channel for the Mississippi river from Chicago to St. Louis and the gulf met defeat when the house, in committee of the whole, having under consideration the river and harbor appropriation bill, voted to stand by the recommendation of the committee in opposition to the project.

Former Sergeant Harris, of D company, Twenty-fifth Infantry, testified before the senate committee, asserting the men of that company were not implicated in the Brownsville shooting.

Former Sergeant Fraser of the Twenty-fifth Infantry told the senate committee that the colored troops were unpopular in Brownsville and he believed the shooting was part of a plot by citizens to get rid of them.

Senator Hale presented to the senate the detailed plans for the big battleship which it is proposed shall be built as the equal of any fighting vessel now afloat or planned.

MISCELLANEOUS.

John D. Rockefeller announced a gift of \$32,000,000 in income-bearing securities to the general education board. He had previously given the board \$11,000,000.

Three men were killed and four badly injured when the Great Western Omaha fast mail jumped the track at German Valley, Ill.

Edinburg, N. D., appealed to the Interstate commerce commission, saying it was in urgent need of fuel and food supplies and had had no mail trains in three weeks.

Pittsburg citizens were forced to go to bed to keep warm, the temperature being very low and the natural gas supply short.

Thomas Lowry, president of the Minneapolis, St. Paul & St. Louis railroad, donated \$10,000 to the Lombard University college at Galesburg, Ill. This completed an endowment fund of \$100,000.

Capt. George Jackson Grammer, vice president in charge of freight traffic, New York Central lines, died in Chicago. He was 63 years old.

The federal supreme court upheld the injunction restraining Chicago from reducing the price of gas to 75 cents.

United States Senator John E. Dryden, of New Jersey, withdrew his name as a candidate for reelection because of poor health and "for the sake of his party and state."

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By a party vote of 20 to 11 the "Jim Crow" bill was passed in the Missouri senate.

The house committee on the District of Columbia made a favorable report on the Murphy bill which makes it unlawful to either give or receive tips in any hotel or eating house in the District of Columbia.

Troops and gendarmes participated in the expulsion of the students from a seminary at Nice, France.

J. W. Simpson, the dentist of Rovor, I. L., was acquitted of the murder of his father-in-law.

Six Japanese were drowned at Sacramento, Cal., when a gasoline launch struck the draw of the railroad bridge across the Sacramento river and capsized.

John M. Egan, president of the Union Depot company of Kansas City, has resigned his position, to which a salary of \$15,000 was attached, and has accepted a position with a South American railroad company.

Fifteen woodcutters were overwhelmed by an avalanche in the Musel district of the Transylvanian mountains, Roumania. All the men were dead when they were dug out of the snow.

In high quarters in Stockholm the statement is made that King Oscar intends to abdicate in favor of Crown Prince Gustaf June 6.

Eight employees of the Insurance Stove, Range & Foundry company, Covington and Cincinnati, were terribly burned by a shower of molten iron, following gas explosion.

Ex-Congressman Benjamin W. Harris died at his home in Bridgewater, Mass., aged 83 years. He was known as the "father of the new navy."

Rt. Hon. George J. Goschen (Viscount Goschen), former chancellor of the exchequer, died in England.

Preston H. Leslio died at his home in Helena, Mont., aged 88 years. He had been governor of Kentucky and of the territory of Montana.

An unknown three-masted schooner was lost with all hands on the Diamond shoals off Cape Hatteras.

It was reported that John F. Stevens, chief engineer of the Panama canal, threatened to resign if the government decides to build the canal by contract.

Frank P. Nantz, of the firm of Lane & Nantz, Minneapolis lawyers, has been appointed collector of revenue of Porto Rico, with headquarters at San Juan, at a salary of \$2,500 per year.

Frankie conferred on Edward P. Allis, Jr., of Milwaukee, the knighthood of the Legion of Honor for his researches in science.

The London Pilgrims gave a farewell banquet to James Bryce, new ambassador of Great Britain to the United States.

Senators Richard W. Morgan was expelled from the Colorado senate for accepting a bribe.

Three coal barges broke loose from a tug off the Jersey coast in a storm and one foundered with her crew.

President Diaz of Mexico has expressed a desire to visit Los Angeles during the Imperial council of the Mystic Shriners in May.

The Gloucester schooner Glenson rammed a liner on the Newfoundland banks, smashing her own bow, and her crew of 16 was rescued by the steamer.

The Congressional Limited train on the Pennsylvania railroad ran through Philadelphia at terrific speed with the engineer, Joseph Toms, dead at the throttle.

J. J. Moore, millionaire shipping and commission merchant of San Francisco, was killed by a horse at Ascot park, Los Angeles, and suffered a skull fracture which may prove fatal.

Count John A. Crookton died in his home in Omaha, Neb. He leaves about \$10,000,000.

Julius Culbertson, a prominent business man of Glidden, Ia., for 35 years a resident of that place, committed suicide by shooting.

Prof. William C. Pickett, one of the best known medical authorities in the United States on nervous diseases and a member of the faculty of the Medico-Chirurgical college of Philadelphia, is dead.

Mrs. Drusilla Morrell, whose husband fought in the war of 1812, is dead in Brooklyn at the age of 102.

Miss Bertha Goochill was instantly killed, Stewart Sherman was probably fatally injured and George Morris, a blackman, was seriously hurt when a cab was struck by a freight train at Long Branch, N. J.

An unknown man tried to plunge a dagger into George Crisfield, son of the late King Milian of Servia, at Constantinople. The weapon spent its force on a thick pocket book.

The constitutional convention of Oklahoma killed the woman's suffrage clause.

Harry Strickland, 14 years old, was indicted at Gainesville, Ga., for the murder of his brother.

Raymond Moyer, a schoolboy of Brooklyn, who was bitten January 17 by a mongrel dog, died of hydrocephalus at the Long Island College hospital.

Alarmed by the recent bomb outbreaks that have occurred in Madrid many wealthy citizens have left the city. The anarchoists are still active.

Just as he was stepping from the engine car of the Cleveland flyer at the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad station, Pittsburgh, after completing the fast run from Cleveland, Engineer S. H. Morrow dropped dead from heart attack.

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In a sensational speech before a state senate committee at Lincoln, Neb., Senator Patrick (fusionist) of Sarpy county, accused the brewery and distillery interests of trying to corrupt the legislature and prevent the passage of "unfriendly" bills.

The Panama Construction company was formally organized with John B. McDonald as president and W. J. Oliver as vice president and general manager.

Frank O. Briggs, of Trenton, was elected United States senator from New Jersey to succeed John F. Dryden.

Assistant Secretary Howe, of the Standard Oil company, denied the accusation of the interstate commerce commission that the company had forced editorial matter on newspapers in which it advertised.

Frank Frink, a rejected suitor, killed Miss Bessie Newton, of Ponca, Neb., on the eve of her marriage to another, and then attempted suicide.

A federal investigator unearthed big mail frauds in which rich Californians are involved.

Three men were killed when the engine of a steamer blew up near Chattanooga, Tenn.

Two persons were killed by a snowslide at Kirwin, Wyo.

Tommy Ryan knocked out Dave Barry in the fifth round of a scheduled 20-round fight before the Washington Athletic club at Hot Springs, Ark.

Elmer S. Dundy, of the theatrical firm of Thompson & Dundy, died suddenly at the home of his mother at Eighty-third street and Broadway, New York.

State Insurance Commissioner James V. Barry, of Michigan, telephoned to Paul Morton his declination of the position of secretary of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents.

At a meeting of the Kingston city council a motion was passed expressing unabated confidence in Gov. Swettanham.

Title to mines in the Ferguson district of Nevada, said to be worth many millions, was won by Joseph de Lamar through a decision rendered by Superior Judge Seawell at San Francisco.

The London music hall strike has been ended. The stars are said to have gained all they asked, but concessions were refused to the musicians and stage hands.

The principal business portion of Coal Harbor, N. D., a small town on the Soo road, was destroyed by fire. The use of snow and wet blankets saved many buildings.

An active campaign against bull fights has begun in Mexico City. Following a mass meeting petitions are being circulated for those who wish to protest.

The American hominy mills at Terre Haute, Ind., were destroyed in a spectacular fire. The loss is \$100,000.

Four persons were burned to death at Pelham, N. Y.

George Butler, a structural iron-worker of Buffalo, N. Y., was shot and killed at Ashtabula Harbor, O., in a fight with four men. The murderer is believed to be a result of trouble between union and nonunion men.

Mary S. Anthony, sister and co-worker of Susan B. Anthony, died in Rochester, N. Y.

Three trainmen were killed by the explosion of a locomotive boiler near Mt. Sterling, Ky.

The two little daughters of Adolph Cusack of Dilco, Ia., were burned to death.

Fire in Detroit burned out Dillon's dry goods store and other business houses, the loss being \$140,000.

C. C. Lewis, editor of the Normal, Ill., Advocate, was killed by a train at Bloomington.

Racing in Tennessee was killed by the passage of the anti-pool selling bill.

About 12 persons were killed by a snowslide that overwhelmed three buildings in Monach, Col.

Several men perished in a blizzard in South Dakota, a man was frozen to death in Leavenworth, Kan., and much stock was lost in the storms in the northwest.

A legislative committee in Missouri reported that farmers and shippers had been mulcted by the Kansas City Stock Yards company.

The Cincinnati congregation of Zion, founded by Dowie, voted to cut loose from the parent church in Zion City.

Senator La Follette denied the announcement of the engagement of his daughter, Miss Fola La Follette.

White's Threat to Kill.

Boman declared that on Christmas eve, 1903, Stanford White came to the stage door about 11:15 p.m., and asked for Miss Nesbit. The doorkeeper told him that the actress, who was then playing in "The Girl from Dixie," had gone home. White at first accused him of a falsehood, and then asked who had been her escort.

"Mr. Thaw," the witness said he replied.

"Oh, that Pittsburgher," commented the architect, who, to make sure the actress had gone, went to her dressing-room on the stage. Not finding her there, White, according to Boman, walked rapidly out of the theater with a revolver in his hand, muttering.

Twenty-two miners were killed by an explosion in a coal mine at Thomas, W. Va.

Lady Grenfell, daughter of Lord Wills, viceroy of Canada, died at Ottawa, of typhoid fever.

Advices from Vladivostok say a number of men uniformed as sailors tried to blow up the steamer Gregory and Mercury with bombs in Vladivostok.

"Perry Martin," who secured a position as bellboy in the Oaks hotel, Beaumont, Tex., has been discovered to be a woman of 25 years. She has disappeared.

Three volunteer firemen were killed and four seriously hurt while fighting a blaze at White Plains, N. Y. Seven persons were hurt in a tenement house blaze in Cherry street, New York city.

Asa Kenyon of Oneonta, N. Y., and Mario Dardick of Syracuse made a suicide pact and drank laudanum; the woman died, but the man may recover.

The woodworking plant of the Wills-Veneer company at Plymouth, N. C., was destroyed by fire. The loss is \$250,000, on which there is partial insurance.

SAYS WHITE DECLARED HE INTENDED TO MURDER THAW

Samuel Boman Tells of Hearing Threat
--Delmas Takes Charge of Defense
--Lively Tilts Between Him and Jerome,

guard) is here." "We understand," said Mr. Delmas, "that this note is now in the possession of the learned district attorney. We want to get at the contents of that slip of paper, believing it to be material evidence. We demand that the learned district attorney produce it."

Jerome Keeps Silence.

Mr. Jerome sat silent. He tugged at his short, stubby mustache. There

GIFT OF \$32,000,000

ROCKEFELLER'S GREAT PRESENT TO EDUCATION BOARD.

Announcement by Oil King's Son Surprises the Members—Their... Letter of Appreciation and Thanks.

New York.—Thirty-two millions of dollars worth of income-bearing securities was the gift which John D. Rockefeller, through his son John D. Rockefeller, Jr., announced to the general education board when it

FROM ALL OVER THE STATE

Michigan Happenings of a Week Put in Condensed Form for Busy Readers.

SHOT BY DRUNKEN DRIVER.

ASKS \$10,000 FOR A LIFE.

Police Captain John Holzapfel Instantly Killed at Jackson.

Jackson.—Police Captain John Holzapfel was shot and instantly killed by Isaac Lewis, a drunken patrolman, while sitting at his desk in his private office in the police station.

Lewis' son believes his father insane from the effect of long-continued whisky drinking. None of those who saw Lewis immediately before or after the shooting will say that he seemed anything but entirely sane.

Capt. Holzapfel was aged 47. He was born in Waterloo, Jackson county, and had lived in the county all his life. He had been connected with the police department for 14 years and his record was without blemish. Two years ago he was made captain, succeeding Capt. Beard, who died. He leaves a widow, two sons and three daughters.

Lewis is aged 51. He has been on the force for about seven years, the last four as patrol driver. His first wife died 14 years ago. He married his second wife near Leslie 11 years ago. Some time ago he applied for a divorce after they separated. The case has not yet come up for trial. His service in the police department has been most notable as a trouble-maker. His grievances, whether fanned or real, are known to have been unduly of a small nature. He is said to have been continually plotting to "get even" with people who he thought had grudges against him or had mistreated him, or who had fallen under his displeasure from any cause. He made a practice of boasting about "getting even" with people, and he so often did that at home and among his acquaintances his threats were taken seriously.

Marshall Gets a Library.

Marshall.—Marshall is to have a free library, the gift of President W. J. Dibble, of the Commercial Savings bank, and F. A. Stuart, the millionaire dyepiece tablet man, of this city. The Ladies' Library of this city will be given sufficient funds for it to be maintained as a free library and kept open as many days in the week as possible for one year. At the end of that time if the trial proves successful and the city seems to want such a library the two men will build a library and provide funds to maintain it.

\$10,000,000 Ship Canal.

Sault Ste. Marie.—The construction of the proposed second ship canal at the Canadian Soo by the Ottawa government is likely to start much sooner than expected. This work is figured to cost \$10,000,000, and to take at least four years to complete. The present canal cost \$4,000,000, but through the development of the large freighter is rapidly becoming out of date.

Girl Probably Fatally Burned.

Flint.—Miss Edna Green, aged 20, was, it is feared, fatally burned by her clothes catching fire from a stove in front of which she was rocking a baby in her arms. She threw the baby to a sofa and ran to the rear of the house where her screams attracted neighbors. There was no one else in the house.

Limits Number of Saloons.

Benton Harbor.—The city council passed a resolution limiting the number of saloons in the future to 20, the present number. No more will be allowed until the city has grown from its present population of 8,000 to 20,000 and then but one additional saloon to every additional thousand inhabitants.

Guests Flee Hotel Fire.

Port Huron.—The Hotel Chapman in Sarnia, owned by Alex. Murdoch, was damaged \$7,000 by fire. The blaze started from the furnace in the basement. Guests hurried from the burning building in night robes. The loss is covered by insurance.

Lumberman Freezes to Death.

Menominee.—Benumbed by cold, William Abel, a lumberman, fell by the roadside while going from Brandt's camp to his home in Coleman. Abel was dead when found, his body frozen. He was 45 years old and leaves a family of 12 children.

To Fight White Plague.

Grand Rapids.—The Grand Rapids Anti-Tuberculosis society started on a campaign to raise \$2,000 to erect shacks and disseminate educational literature on the fight against the white plague. Some of the best citizens in the city are interested.

Heavy Blow for Owendale.

Gagaton.—Palmer Brothers' general store at Owendale, about six miles north of here, was burned to the ground. The cause is unknown. The loss will reach about \$12,000, and is partially covered by insurance.

To Fight San Jose Scale.

Battle Creek.—So devastating have become the ravages of the San Jose scale around the city that farmers decided to organize an anti-scale association. Wholesale spraying will be undertaken.

Glass Sand at Midland.

Midland.—Two Maryland glassblowers have been in this vicinity and have found sand which they believe is suitable for glass. If the test proves satisfactory, it will result in Midland county getting a glass factory.

Grand Rapids Presbyterians to Build.

Grand Rapids.—Immanuel Presbyterian church will build a new edifice. At present the needs of the Sunday school cannot be met. Members have already subscribed \$6,000 to the building fund.

NEWS OF THE STATE

RECORD OF A WEEK'S HAPPENINGS IN MICHIGAN.

FAIR FOR KALAMAZOO

One is to be held in that city in connection with the Fall Race Meeting—Work begins at once.

Kalamazoo.—Stockholders of Recreation Driving Park association voted for a fair in connection with the fall racing meeting in this city, but left the matter to the board of directors. The latter sanctioned it. Agitation for a southwestern Michigan fair has been before the people for almost two years.

It is the intention to have the fair in connection with the second short ship race meeting in September. Secretary Engleman will have plans for buildings made at once and work on grounds will begin early in the spring.

BATTLE CREEK SAVES "Y."

Raise sufficient sum to keep association alive.

Battle Creek.—Young Men's Christian Association has raised the last cent of the required \$3,600, and will not have to close its doors as threatened. The final \$100 was secured by telephone. All of the money has been raised since January 15, and all that remains now is to collect the \$3,500 subscribed. The "Y" has one of the finest buildings in the country, but costs a large sum to maintain.

DECIDES \$90,000 WILL CASE.

Contestants Win Out, Proving Mrs. Clark Incompetent.

Kalamazoo.—Judge Anderson in probate court at Paw Paw decided in favor of the contestants in the Elizabeth Clark will case. Mrs. Clark died, leaving a will devising property, said to be worth \$80,000, to Mrs. Combs, with whom she lived during the later years of her life, and to Frank Potter, her attorney. Distant relatives brought suit, alleging incompetency.

Burned in Saving Property.

Pontiac.—The big farm home of Edmund Doherty, two miles west of Orchard Lake, was destroyed by fire. The fire is believed to have been caused by a defective chimney. Doherty was considerably burned about the hands and face by trying to save household goods. The loss is estimated at \$3,500, covered by insurance.

Monroe Will Provide a Site.

Monroe.—The common council by unanimous vote passed a resolution undertaking to provide a suitable central site for the proposed Custer monument. It is confidently expected that the legislature will unanimously grant the state appropriation toward the erection of the monument to Michigan's gallant soldier.

Boy Will Lose His Arm.

Midland.—Losing his hold on a sleigh on which he was stealing a ride, Wesley Taylor, ten-year-old son of John Taylor, was run over. The sleigh was loaded with green shrub branches and crushed the lad's hand and wrist so badly, amputation will be necessary.

Showed Amazing Vitality.

Battle Creek.—Although his backbone was driven past his thighs, the skull of Howard Packard was not fractured by an elevator which fell on him at the plant of the Quaker Oats company. Although his back was broken, he was still alive when taken to a hospital.

Gambler Pleaded Guilty.

Paw Paw.—Frank Hoffman, proprietor of the Hoffman house, at Lawrence, pleaded guilty to conducting a gambling room and was fined \$40 and costs or 60 days in jail.

Coroner Will Investigate.

Lansing.—As a result of the death of Luther Gilbert a coroner's jury will investigate the cause of the explosion at the Maud S. Pump works, which caused his death.

Fire at Elk Rapids.

Elk Rapids.—Just as the front wall was about to fall, fire was discovered in John Bosley's cigar factory and bowling alley. The loss is \$5,000; insured.

Graduates at Ypsilanti.

Ypsilanti.—Ypsilanti high school will graduate about 50 this year. Dr. Guy Potter Benton, president of Michigan university, Oxford, O., will be the orator.

Stabbed by Insane Patient.

Kalamazoo.—Insanity, the result of a fall from a dray, caused Frank H. Van Ness to stab William Pratt at the poor farm. Pratt will recover.

Tunnel City After Convention.

Port Huron.—If the 11 delegates from this city are successful the next head camp convention of the Woodmen of the World will be held in Port Huron in 1909. The convention this year will be held in Minneapolis during the first week of March.

Molten Metal Burns Two.

Midland.—Molten metal exploding in the foundry of John Dent struck the little son and daughter of Mr. Dent, who were watching the pouring. Both children were severely burned.

Attempt at Suicide Falls.

Holland.—Despondent because charged with arson, Mrs. Jeanie Smith, in whose house several fires of mysterious origin have occurred of late, threw herself downstairs at her home. Her back and shoulder are badly injured, but she will recover.

Pneumonia Kills Aged Man.

Metamora.—Andrew Govan, aged 80 years, is dead at his home in this village. Pneumonia was the cause of death.

Escapes Only by Cough.

Saginaw.—After carrying a piece of tin in his throat three days, Henry Reimer, 16-year-old son of Patrolman Fred Reimer, coughed it up and escaped an operation which was about to be performed.

From the State Capital

Information and Gossip Furnished by Special Correspondent at Lansing.

County Treasurer's Troubles.

Harvey R. Munson, of Gratiot county, has been having his troubles and has applied to the supreme court for relief. Munson was elected county treasurer last fall and January 1 he offered to the board of supervisors for approval a bond signed by 14 citizens of Ithaca. The supervisors rejected the bond, although Munson claimed it was for a sufficient amount. He was told to furnish a surety company bond, but declined to do so. Judge C. H. Wisner, of Flint, sitting in the circuit court at Ithaca, refused to compel the board to approve the bond, as failing lack of authority. Munson has now obtained from the supreme court an order requiring the board to show cause why it should not approve the bond. In the meantime the supervisors are said to be threatening the treasurer with removal for failure to furnish a proper bond.

Governor Cuts Knot.

Gov. Warner put an end to the controversy in the habeas corpus case of Roy Knight, a fugitive from justice from New York, in which it was claimed that the warrant from the office of the governor was invalid because issued by the governor's secretary instead of by the governor in person, by recalling the warrant and personally issuing a new one. The New York officer will get the prisoner. He is under indictment in Catteraugus county for abandonment of his infant child.

The parlormaid?

"Yes, yes; I'd like a brisk, tidy, rosy-cheeked girl. I don't care so much about the housemaid."

"Why, now, you bad old boy; you must let your little girl have her own way when it comes to the house servants. You can engage the butler, if you like, and of course you'll get the coachman; but when it comes to the laundress and seamstress and—why George, what a dreadfully long face you have! I don't like it!"

It looked longer as he sat in his 10 x 12 room an hour later trying to "figure out" how the wages of the cook and housekeeper and butler and all the rest of them were to be paid on \$25 per week. He hasn't calculated it yet.

GNATURALLY.



Susy—I say, Jennie, what's a naturalist?

Jennie—I'm not sure. A man who catches gnats, isn't it.—Judy.

MIGHT HAVE BEEN WORSE.

"Poor Nipsley! It was a terrible blow to him."

"Nipsley? I haven't heard about it. What's the matter?"

"It was very sudden. He's all broken up. I saw him yesterday, and he told me he didn't know how he could get along without her. To tell you the truth, I wouldn't have believed before it happened that he'd have taken it so hard. He hasn't been able to attend to business or to—"

"Say, for heaven's sake! why don't you tell me a little about it? What's the old boy's trouble?"

"His wife's dead."

"Oh, Lord! I thought from the way you spoke that somebody must have come along and hired his typewriter girl away from him!"—Judge.

INTERNAL APPLICATION.

He found his hair was leaving the top of his head, and took his barber to task about it.

"You sold me two bottles of stuff to make this hair grow."

"It is very strange it won't grow again," interrupted the barber. "I can't understand it."

"Well, look here," said the man, "I don't mind drinking another bottle, but this must be the last."

Gentle Hint.

Across the shimmering lake sped the merry skaters.

"Ah, the ring of steel," breathed the poetical young man. "What can compare with the beautiful ring of steel?"

The girl in the crimson cap laughed merrily.

"Lots of things," she whispered. "For instance, I much prefer the beautiful ring of gold."

And the next day the cards were out.—Chicago Daily News.

THE FARTHER THE BETTER.



Roggy—Now, Miss Quick, I'm going to show you one of my bursts of race speed.

Miss Quick—How nice! And, oh, make it a long-distance race, do—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Significant "For."

"Your constituents must realize that you are working for them."

"Yes," answered Senator Sorghum;

"but a good many of them have gotten the idea that I am omitting the preparation."—Washington Star.

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Senator Spooner has just announced his conversion to tariff reform. We are delighted to learn of the influence of our junior Senator upon him. Now our two Senators agree upon a single subject. However, they may differ as to who shall succeed Mr. Spooner in the Senate.

Although over a month has passed since the opening of the State Legislature at Madison, no actual work has been accomplished. It is the experience of legislative bodies to use much time in accomplishing little in the early part of the session and to rapidly pass amended bills without due consideration at the close of the session.

The grafters and lobbyists are the busy people.

ADVANCED STEP OF WISCONSIN.

A few years ago when Senator La Follette began the agitation of a State tax commission to regulate the taxes of the State, his policy was scarcely known beyond the borders of Wisconsin.

Today, the Governors of several States are advocating the same policy and consider it conservative. Gov. Davidson of our State, who was nominated by the conservative element of the Republican party, has taken the most advanced position of any Governor by advocating an income tax as the only means of leveling the burden of taxation and that it most nearly satisfies the conception of an ideal tax. He advocates the amendment of the constitution to provide for such a tax. He comes out squarely for municipal ownership of public utilities. What were called vagaries a few years ago, are becoming realities today. All students of municipal questions are becoming more convinced that cities should own their own water plants and the power to operate them. We shall watch with interest the step which Ashland has taken.

DISPOSITION OF EX-PRESIDENTS.

It has been a matter of much discussion in the past as to what disposition should be made of our Ex-Presidents. The Supreme Bench, the Senate and Diplomatic positions have been suggested as places of honor or less strenuous than that of the Presidency, where the occupant may lead a life of usefulness. This may be applicable to the average President, but where is there a position on the face of this earth that would occupy the mind of our present chief executive, who has, during his term of office, manipulated international, national, State, school and family affairs?

President Roosevelt is the busiest man in the world. It must tax his strenuous nature to the limit to look after Congress, convert the school board of San Francisco to the admission of the Japanese to their schools and also act as press censor in the Thaw case.

As we go to press we note another sea horror added to the list of past calamities. Nearly 200 persons perish on the coast of Rhode Island and those rescued are frozen almost into insensibility. Less than a score are alive to tell the tale of the wreck caused by a coal vessel running into the Larchmont, one of the Jay liners.

There are a few newspapers in our exchange list, that have the practice of "cribbling" articles from the New North. At first we didn't think it worth while to speak of, but the "cribbers" are getting so bold that not only editorials and original news are copied bodily, but even front page news is used as "telegraphic communications" by special correspondent. It must take a lot of nerve to do such a thing. We do our own work and when other papers copy our headed articles we expect credit.

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MADISON, Wis., Feb. 11.—The bill introduced by Assemblyman Koeppe of LaCrosse providing that hereafter no candidate shall be a member of either the state central committee and that no member of either of these committees shall be a candidate on the party ticket, is regarded in Madison as having been called forth by Chairman Connor's conduct in the last campaign. The bill is plainly along the line of Senator Sanborn's speech in the platform convention where he argued that, independent of any personal reasons in connection with Mr. Connor, the selection as state chairman of a man, against whom candidates might have worked in the primary election would in itself be an unfair discrimination against those candidates, as they would not feel free to consult with a former opponent in regard to the conduct of their campaigns, nor in regard to the welfare of the party in general.—Ex-charge.

THE SALTON SEA.

A wonderfully interesting geography lesson is the story of the Salton Sea, in the southeastern corner of California. More than a year ago an irrigation company diverted some of the water of the Colorado river to the low land known as the Salton "sink" or basin. This is a large area which is much lower than the bed of the river, part of it lower than sea level. It is the bed of an ancient sea or an arm of the ocean which had been cut off by an upheaval of the earth and then dried up. One part of it contained a great bed of salt which in recent years was worked with great commercial profit.

This irrigation company opened a larger inlet from the river to the low basin than they were able to control, and soon almost the whole stream was pouring in and flooding the country. Farms which had been developed by irrigation, also some villages, had to be abandoned because of the overflow; the Southern Pacific railroad had to move many miles of their track where the roadbed was submerged. Within a few months was formed a sea over 30 miles long and from six to 40 feet deep. After great effort and at an expense of a million dollars a dam was built that stopped the inflow. Then the sea began to shrink in size from the evaporation; but meanwhile the people for a great distance around the sea especially on the east of it, had found as they believed that a favorable modification of climate had resulted from the presence of the sea, that the local rainfall had been increased and the severity of the summer heat perceptibly reduced.

The people in this region petitioned Congress to make provision for maintaining the sea at the size it had attained, by arranging an intake sufficient to balance the evaporation. Complications had arisen with the Mexican government on account of the diversion of the stream from its natural channel, hence there would probably have been much uncertainty about opening the gap again. But Providence or nature or accident or a happy combination of the three answered the prayer of the petitioners before Congress could reply. Only a few days after the petition was presented a great crevasse occurred in the dam, which had been finished last October, and the river once more began to rush into the Salton sea. This break occurred on December 8; it has not yet been closed, and does not seem likely soon to be closed.

President Roosevelt has urged the Southern Pacific railroad to get busy and dam the river; he asks them to do this and take the chances that Congress may later re-imburse the railroad for the expense, and has placed at their service a large corps of government engineers to help in the work. The officers of the road have responded favorably, but they disclaim any responsibility, declaring that the irrigation company was not in any way connected with the railroad company. Their attitude toward the irrigation company, now bankrupt and hence irresponsible, seems to be like that of Billy to Bob when he says, "Now just look what you went and done."

If the inflow is not stopped, the little city of Imperial must be abandoned, the Southern Pacific must move 200 miles of its track to a higher level, a large inland sea from 70 to 200 feet deep will be formed, and the property loss will exceed \$25,000,000. It is greatly to be hoped that President Roosevelt will fail in his efforts to have this big break repaired. The wiping out of a few more villages and farms, the moving of a few hundred miles of railroad track—a total loss of say over \$30,000,000, is a mere trifle compared to the scientific value of this experiment of forming a large body of water where there was none before and the possible commercial value consequent on a change of climatic conditions over a wide area.—S. Y. Gillan, Wis., Journal of Education.

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The State of Wisconsin, to the above named defendants and to each of them:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court above named, and if you do not appear, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the plaintiff; of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

SAUL B. BROWN, Plaintiff's Attorney.

P. O. Address, Rhinelander, Oneida County, 17-m-21.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ONEIDA COUNTY: IN PROBATE.

Notice is hereby given of the General Term of the County Court to be held in and for County at the Court House in the City of Rhinelander, in said County, on the first Tuesday, the 10th day of March, 1907, at 10 A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of N. O. O'Brien, executor of the estate of John J. Reardon, deceased, for the administration and allowance of his account as executor, and the adjustment of the residue of his estate.

Dated January 30, 1907.

By order of the Court,

LEVI J. BILLING, County Judge.

CHURCH NEWS.

First Baptist.

Morning service 10:30.

Subsidiary School, 11:30.

Evening worship, 7:30.

Junior service Thursday 4:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30.

Dr. FREDERICK W. FAYER.

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Pastor, J. D. JUDD.

11 North Stevens Street.

St. Augustine.

Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a. m.

Morning Prayer and sermon, 10:30 a. m.

Children's Vespers, 8:30 p. m.

Evening prayer and address 7:30 p. m.

WEEK DAYS.

Wednesday, Cottage Services and Lecture,

9 p. m., Feb. 20, Mrs. Paul Brown.

Thursday, Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a. m.

Friday, Children's Vespers, 8:30 p. m.

Evening prayer and address 7:30 p. m.

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Sunday service, 11:30 a. m., Holliness meeting.

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Everybody is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

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Sabbath morning, class meeting 10:30.

Sabbath School, 12:30.

Evening service, preaching, 7:30.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:30.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF
Enroll at the Wausau Business College.

Lamm suits are suits that suit. New samples at the Hun.

A baby girl has put in her appearance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stevens.

Two sleigh loads of young people from this City attended a dancing party at Bundy Saturday evening.

Now is the time to order green 18 inch slab wood, both hard and soft. Brown Bros. Lint Co.

Henry Steadman has entered the train service of the Northwestern as brakeman and will run out of Ashland.

Horner Zandor has engaged in the real estate business and will have his office in his tailoring establishment on Elvins Street.

Miss Lillian Clothier, book-keeper at the Nichols hardware store, who was numbered among the sick, has returned to her position.

J. C. Hall of Antigo, district manager for the New York Life Insurance Company, was in the City Friday working up business.

A. Jarvis spent Sunday with his family in this City. Mr. Jarvis, we understand, is soon to engage in the lumber business at Eau Claire.

Mrs. Fletcher entertained at cards at her home on Mason Street last Friday afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. H. D. Andrews of Stevens Point.

"Cudahy Brothers Co.'s peacock kette rendered hard 'like mother used' is what I want." Sold by all up-to-date dealers.

The U. S. Government has issued to Druggist J. J. Reardon permit to retail denatured alcohol. It is cheaper, cleaner and more safe than wood alcohol.

Only a few mackinaws and sheep skin lined coats left and if you want to save money, have a look at them. Looking at our prices means buying. H. Lewis.

The 20th Century Clinch Club met Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Trumbull. The highest scores were made by Mrs. Wixson and Mr. Sawtell. The Club has been invited to meet with Dr. and Mrs. O'Connor this week.

The Wausau Business College wants you for a student. t.f.

Mrs. W. W. Carr entertained at home last Thursday afternoon. The first prize was awarded to Mrs. E. J. Stinson and the booby went to Mrs. Frank Bibby.

E. J. Hartwell of the International Harvester Company, who formerly made this City his headquarters, was here during the week. Mr. Hartwell is now located at Green Bay.

Aug. 1st, the Thayer Street meat dealer, has been ill at his home for two weeks but is now much better. Mr. Hein's shop has been in charge of Peter Green, the well known meat cutter.

The engine of 17, the north bound Northwestern passenger train, broke down while in the yards here Thursday afternoon, causing a delay of over half an hour.

It's the highest standard of quality, a natural tonic, cleanses your system, reddens the cheeks, brightens the eyes, gives flavor to all you eat. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do this for you. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. J. J. Reardon.

Frank Bryant accompanied by his daughter, Miss Mabel and son Roscoe left the City last Friday morning on the Northwestern Limited with intentions of attending the ski tournament at Ashland. Owing to the wreck at Sand Rock, their train was unable to proceed further than that station and they were compelled to spend the entire day in that peaceful little village. The trip proved anything but an enjoyable one and the party returned home that evening somewhat disappointed.

Lamm's new samples at the Hun. Joe Slickinger shipped a team of heavy draft horses to Haley & Brown at Wausau this week.

Mrs. W. E. Ashton and Miss Ashton entertained at five o'clock tea Friday and Saturday evenings.

Yesterday marked the commencing of the Lenten season and from now on until Easter there will be nothing doing in society.

O. A. Kolden, proprietor of the Peoples Saving Store, has been confined so his home on the south side suffering with la grippe.

The Hibernian Ladies Division No. 2 will celebrate St. Patrick's day on the eve of that day with a big dinner at the Armory. Everybody invited.

Cudahy Brothers Co.'s dainty breakfast soups, one lb cartons. Government inspection. Just what you want for breakfast.

Steve Langer of Mercer was here Friday. Mr. Langer is logging this winter for an Ashland concern and operates a camp of nearly seventy-five men.

The wise ones will buy now, maybe even for next winter's needs, as it means dollars and cents in their pocket. Why don't you?

H. Lewis, Clothier.

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A tissue builder, reconstructor, building up waste tissue, makes strong nerves and muscle. You will realize after taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea what a wonderful benefit it will be to you. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. J. J. Reardon.

Lamm suits—measures taken at the Hun.

John Didier of the Rhinelander Iron Company has returned from State Line where he has had a crew at work erecting a refuse burner and doing other construction work for the Mason-Donalson Lumber Company.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Lee left Saturday morning for Ripon where they will make a short stay continuing their homeward journey to Granite, Idaho. They spent a week among friends in Rhinelander.

It's a good old world after all; If you have no friends or money, in the river you can fall;

Marriages are quite common and, More people there would be,

Provided you take Rocky Mountain Tea.

J. J. Reardon.

F. E. Parker, former post master and prominent resident of this City, was in the City this week greeting his many old friends. Mr. Parker is now engaged in railroad construction work and makes his headquarters in Ladysmith.

Heavy weight all wool underwear now sold at less than half price.

Alfred Carlson was at Bundy this week where he took orders for suits for Hans Rodd. He visited all the big lumber camps and did a business which amounted to several hundred dollars. Albert is a hustling salesman and is always sure to return with big orders.

The D. J. Murry Company of Wausau is about to commence the construction of a saw mill for the Schroeder Lumber Company at Ashland which will be one of the largest in the United States. The new mill will have a capacity of 40,000,000 feet annually.

Miss Susie Smith, who has held the position of stenographer in the office of the superintendent of schools since September, has resigned to resume a position at Rhinelander which she formerly held. She will be succeeded by Miss Leda Barrows, at least temporarily. Stevens Point Gazette.

About 800 hats in all styles and sizes to be closed out at once regardless of cost. Come and investigate this, H. Lewis.

Dr. S. G. Higgins, who has been house surgeon in St. Elizabeth's Hospital Chicago, and had charge of their eyes and ear cases, has gone to State Line as surgeon and doctor for the Mason-Donalson Lbr. Co. Dr. Higgins is well known in this city where he lived many years.

Wear a Lamm suit and be well dressed. Measures taken at the Hun.

Special meetings will be held at the Salvation Army Hall every night from now until March 10, for the salvation of men and women. All true children of God, who can attend these meetings we would be glad to have come and help in the rescue of the lost.

Capt. and Mrs. E. W. Kimbell, Officers in charge.

Attend the Wausau Business College. Write for catalogue.

Rummage sale the best one of the season, Feb. 22 and 23. Remember it.

The Epworth League will give a social and literary program at Odd Fellows Hall Tuesday evening Feb. 10. Everybody welcome.

Overcoats, suits and pants, nothing but the best makes at prices which means 40 to 60 per cent savings to you.

H. Lewis.

A. W. Crusoe and Perley Whittier leave Saturday for the Chicago markets where they will purchase the spring stock for Crusoe's Dept. Store.

Word was received from Brandon that the aged father of Mrs. G. W. Blasdel has passed away. The old gentleman was eighty-two years of age.

Today is St. Valentine's day. The mails for the last two days have been heavy with extra matter, valentines of course, which are being received, and sent from the City. This day means about as much extra work for the postal authorities as Christmas or New Years. All the dealers in valentines in the City report good sales. The demand for the more elaborate and costly valentines has been greater this year than ever before. The country is also flooded with a large assortment of brand new comers which have proved big sellers.

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(Of a truth I perceive God is no respecter of persons. Acts 10, 34.) Everybody come and enjoy a real good Salvation meeting at the Salvation Army Hall. Meetings every night at 8 o'clock.

Capt. and Mrs. E. W. Kimbell, Officers in charge.

R. W. Crawford is now manager of the Stevens Point telephone exchange. Mr. Crawford went from here to serve as district manager for the Wisconsin Telephone Company, but lately that office was discontinued and hereafter the Stevens Point manager will also be in charge of the district.

We still have enough shoes left to supply the wants of the most careful buyer at prices below cost of manufacturing.

H. Lewis.

Former Governor Higgins of New York, whose term of office expired Jan. 1st, died at his home in Olean, N. Y. Tuesday at the age of thirty-eight. The insurance scandal and the banking scandal during his term had much to do in undermining his health. He refused a second nomination.

John D. Rockefeller has again started the public by a gift of \$2 million for educational purposes, which puts all other single gifts in the shade, even those of the philanthropist Carnegie. As usual there is a string attached to it that he and his son shall provide for its disposition. Will all go up?

Wm. Harwood, who has been employed as salesman at Spafford & Cole's store for the last two years, has returned to his home in Appleton. Wm. was popular among the young people and his departure is regretted. He was a talented vocalist and as leader of the choir at St. Augustine's Church he leaves a vacancy which will be difficult to fill.

Old Man—heard that a lady was going to "entertain at bridge" and in the innocence of his heart asked, "Which bridge, Davenport St. or Red Bridge?" Adding, "Pears to me it's doggone cold to have a party on either one of them bridges at this time of year. Why don't she wait till the good old summer time?" His wife, ashamed of her husband's ignorance said softly, "Whilst, John, whilst."

Rising From the Grave.

A prominent manufacturer, Wm. A. Fertwell, of Lumberton, N. C., relates a most remarkable experience. He says: "After taking less than three bottles of Electric Bitters, I felt like one rising from the grave. My trouble is Bright's Disease, in the Diabetes stage. I fully believe Electric Bitters will cure me permanently, for it has already stopped the liver and bladder complications which have troubled me for years." Guaranteed at J. J. Reardon druggist, Price only 50c.

Homesickness Rates.

Homesickness tickets are on sale via The North-Western Line from points in Wisconsin the first and third Tuesday of each month at very low rates for the round trip to points throughout the west, northwest and southwest. Also special low rates for one-way colonists' tickets same dates in February and March to Colorado, Wyoming and the Black Hills, and to Pacific Coast points daily during March and April.

Ask agents The North-Western Line for particulars.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a Favorite. "I prefer Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to any other for our children," says Mr. L. J. Woodbury of Twin City, Mich. "It has also done the work for us in hard colds and croup, and we take pleasure in recommending it." For sale by Hinman & Co.

Drs. Morse & Rector

..SPECIALISTS..

EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT.

APPLETON, WIS.

VISITS RHINELANDER REGULARLY,

RAPIDS HOUSE

PERSONAL MENTION

W. T. Stevens returned Thursday to Parrish.

Frank Carley has returned from Eagle River.

Frank Jilson was up from Monroe Saturday.

Henry Dennis came up from Elcho Saturday.

R. H. McKenzie of Ironwood was here Friday.

Dennis McGuire of Shawano was in the City, Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Kelley has returned to her home in Antigo.

Mrs. Frances Quinlan has returned from Minneapolis Saturday.

Mrs. R. J. Bartlett returned from Minneapolis Saturday.

Pat Morrison has returned to his home in Eagle River.

M. H. Hunter of New London was in the City Friday.

Mrs. M. H. Thompson of Three Lakes was in the City Friday.

Dr. W. E. Wray of Tomahawk was in Rhinelander Saturday.

Attorney Geo. O'Connor, of Eagle River was in the City Monday.

Fred Sacket of Berlin was a business caller in the City Monday.

Miss Ella Carlson left Friday for Wausau to spend the week with relatives.

Father Scheyer, pastor of the Tomahawk Catholic church was here this week.

Mrs. Angus McDonald of Hurley was the guest of relatives and friends here.

A. Hanson, the boot and shoe manufacturer of Three Lakes, was in the City Saturday.

E. A. Forbes returned from Parrish where he spent a few days with W. F. Stevens.

Mrs. Mary Fenlon has returned from Phillips where she made a short visit with relatives.

Mrs. Wm. Kelly and baby of Antigo visited during the week at the McRae home on Brown Street.

Mr. Swank, weighmaster for the Western Weighting Association, spent Sunday at his home in Ashland.

John Soderstrom of Phillips, a well known Price county farmer, transacted business in the City Friday.

Mrs. R. C. Holton, who has been the guest of her brother J. L. Jarvis has returned to her home in Dorchester.

Dr. Elliott was in Tomahawk Lake Friday, where he went to attend a man who had been hurt in the woods.

Miss Mary McRae returned Thursday morning to Madison after a few days' visit at her home on Eastern Avenue.

Miss Mary Stone of Wausau is the guest of Eagle Street relatives. She will go from here to Minneapolis to attend a wedding.

Mrs. Florence Wilson was over from Lad

Lady Isabel's Invitation

By Mrs. Neish

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"You see," said Lady Isabel to me, "there is the difference between men and women. Now, as for this matter of breaking into society, a man will make it worth your while merely to be seen about with you, once or twice, and then trust to his money doing the rest for him; but women are jealous of one another that even really rich women have a lot of trouble in getting on. If they're nobodies, and if they once get hold of you, they insist on their pound of social flesh in return for—" She paused and hesitated.

"I know," I said, anticipating her aversion to calling a spade a spade.

"Exactly so," said Lady Isabel.

"Who has been helping you lately?" I asked.

"Look at the bother I had with Mrs. Burlington-Brown," she replied, ignoring my question, "and what a fearful nuisance it was taking her abroad, and all the fuss I had to make to get her introduced; and now there's Mrs. Leamington-Smythe—I can't be always thinking of new schemes to help those people on," she added.

"Can't you?" I murmured. "Is there really a limit to your ideas?"

She nodded. "And yet, you know, I feel that after borrowing her house last Christmas—at least, of course, I mean she offered it—I feel I must be civil."

"Was it her house?" I asked, as I recalled the cheerful Christmas gathering and the pleasant little New Year's shooting party.

Lady Isabel nodded. "Yes; and when I gave all those parties, I had several of her friends there—"

"How good of you!"

"Yes; wasn't it? But you see they were all well off and useful, and I thanked her, too, and all that, you know—and now she actually wants me to introduce her to the Princess Mor-



I Am Merely Considering Mrs. Leamington-Smythe—

genblattor. It's impossible; I sounded the princess, and she deliberately hinted she prefers not to have Mrs. Smythe presented to her."

"And now you won't, of course, go to the house for Easter," I said, with deepest sympathy.

"My dear Marjorie," said Lady Isabel, "please do not run away with the idea that people are always thinking about themselves—I am merely considering Mrs. Leamington-Smythe—"

"I might have known it," I said pointedly. "But why consider Mrs. Smythe at all?"

"Well, you see, I've asked her to come to my party to-morrow, especially to be introduced to the princess, and—she lifted an envelope—"now I've had this delicate intimation, I really don't know what to do. You see, I am giving this party on purpose, and if I don't introduce Mrs. Smythe she will be furious, and if I pretend I haven't had the princess' note and present the woman it will be worse still. Whatever shall I do, Marjorie? For goodness sake, don't sit there staring at me, but tell me what on earth to do."

"Whom would it pay you best to please?"

Lady Isabel looked absolutely shocked. "My dear girl, for goodness' sake, don't be so hatefully crude," then she added meditatively, "of course I'd like to please the princess best."

"It is rather awkward," I admitted. "What a pity they have both accepted."

"Yes, isn't it; but people only do accept, as a rule, when you wish they would."

"What will you do?"

"I don't know," she answered, "I must think it out; in the meantime, I must write my letters, and then we'll go and have luncheon."

"Doesn't she look a dear; she really is quite a lovely woman, only I do wish she'd dress just a teeny weeny bit better," said Lady Isabel, lavishing her usual qualified praise on her especial guest.

The princess crossed over to us at the moment, and the qualified praise ceased somewhat abruptly.

It was a crowded party, and Lady Isabel, radiantly successful, was flitting gaily from guest to guest. Suddenly I saw her face change, and a look of astonishment and dismay pass over it like a flash, and then recovering herself, as I verily believe only Isabel can, she turned to greet Mrs. Leamington-Smythe.

"How are you, dear? So glad you could come, after all; how very, very sweet of you, and what a pretty gown."

"I've only just returned to town," said Mrs. Leamington-Smythe. "We motored straight up from Rottingdean to you, Lady Lascelles and I, and I went to her club to tidy up, and—oh, by the way, she told me to tell you

Three of the Daintiest Blouse Models Now Worn



The dainty blouse in the left-hand corner has a hand-embroidered yoke, sleeve-caps, cuff and collar of handkerchief linen, with clumsy lace used in a novel and effective way.

This model would be very lovely in pink or blue linen, with the embroidery done either in white or in several harmonizing shades of pink mercerized cotton.

The simplicity of the adjoining blouse is refreshing in this era of rather ornate trimming. It is of very sheer handkerchief linen, with groups of three tucks, run by hand or else hemstitched on the edge. A jabot and sleeve ruffles of the linen, hand-embroidered on the edges, gives a new touch that is extremely good style.

Such a waist could easily be made with long sleeves, although the shorter length are much more in vogue.

Equally simple is the sheer linen blouse, with its box-pleated effect on front, back and sleeves. These pleats are an inch in width, and should be well stitched to avoid twisting when laundered. The frills are of linen, edged with a narrow valenciennes lace, while a stiff linen collar, hand-embroidered, is worn with it.

This new model is a special favorite with Parisiennes.

Many Women at Their Best at Two Score.

The old description, "fair, fat and forty," is quite out of date, and the woman of 40 is now generally as pleasant to look upon and as young and active in body as the woman of eight-and-twenty or thirty. Thanks to tennis and other sports women keep their trimness far longer than they used to do, and at 40, instead of being unattractive, elderly, frumpish, are often at their very best. The reason is not far to seek; they have learned to use all their charms and gifts in the most effective manner, and they have no longer the conceit and arrogance which so often seem a part and parcel of youth.

By the time she has reached her fourth decade a woman has rubbed off, in contact with the world, her rough edges. She is now dignified and self-possessed, whereas she was formerly awkward and shy. Now she knows how to listen as well as to talk, and when she speaks she has something to say which is worth hearing; for her experience has given her the art of pleasing others, and also a knowledge of men and manners which a girl often assumes only to expose her ignorance. In matters of dress, too, she is more successful than formerly. She knows more about the colors she may—and may not—wear, and she takes care, as no girl would do, that the cut of her clothes is just right for her figure.

The woman of 40, if a spinster, is often more attractive to men than her fat younger sister. The fact is she is better educated, has truer, saner views of life and its problems, and has outlived the time when, if ever, marriage seemed to her the goal of existence. Now she probably regards happy marriage as the ideal state, but, knowing how very many marriages are the reverse of happy, she is thankful for such joys as she has, and thinks the most of them. She is, therefore, good friends with men, talking to them as simply and naturally as she does to women, and, while accepting any little attentions that a man may offer, she does not look for any special motive in those attentions. If she marries, the marriage will probably be a happy one, but it is an unlikely event, and she no longer troubles to consider her men friends as possible suitors.

The "fair, fat and forty" women are long-dead, and their successors of today are among the most fascinating members of society, and certainly a power in the land.

New Petticoats Are of Satin.

A satin finish, or at any rate a certain amount of sheen, is noticeable on nearly every kind of material this season, even on the dress linings and under petticoats. A satin finished material is always more effective than a dull silk, and for this reason also requires less trimming—often a decided advantage. This year things have been rather reversed, for there are many reception and house gowns of lace, chiffon, net and taffeta silks, but for the evening even the debonair prefer satins and satin silks.

The court also cautions tradesmen that they should show prudence and reserve when orders are offered which are obviously exaggerated and extravagant.

Later Particulars.

Dollah had cut off Samson's long hair.

"It's a trifling coarse," she said, "but I can use it for a switch."

When it was too late, however, she reflected that she could have utilized Samson to much better advantage by exhibiting him in a State street shop window as an advertisement of a hair tonic.—Chicago Tribune.

Hardened.

Mrs. Keyson—Worn't you frightened when the bull bellowed at you because of your new red costume?

Mrs. Puson—Just you see my husband went on just the same when he got the bill.

At the Nation's Capital

Social Feud Said to Be Cause of Chairman Shonts' Resignation from Panama Canal Commission—Study of "Fire Alarm" Foraker of Ohio—Other Gossip from Washington.

WASHINGTON. — "Official etiquette," and snobbishness in capital society, of which his wife and daughters, Theodora and Marguerite, were victims, is declared to be the real cause of Theodora P. Shonts' resignation from his \$30,000 a year position as chairman of the Panama canal commission.

It was natural for outsiders to suppose that when Mr. Shonts came here from Chicago as chairman of the commission he would take high rank in the government and have a correspondingly high social status in the fabric of Washington. Mr. Shonts, who was president of a railroad, did not realize that the actual control over the digging of the canal had been officially placed in the hands of the secretary of war, who was paid \$22,000 a year.

Mr. Shonts also misunderstood her rank in society, and out of the misapprehension grew a social conflict so great that President Roosevelt had to settle it. The president ruled that the isthmian canal commission takes rank immediately after the interstate commerce commission. Chairman Shonts, therefore, was outranked by Chairman Knapp, by the civil service commission and by the regents and secretary of the Smithsonian institution, to say nothing of the members of the cabinet, the diplomatic corps, the justices, senators, representatives and delegates in congress, and commissioners and judicial officers of the District of Columbia.

The commission, by official writ, was put so far down the list that the wife of the chairman would have had to make her first call on several hundred other women to have kept in harmony with the Washington social code. This is a matter of the gravest import in Washington society.

The trouble was accentuated by Mrs. Shonts' social secretary, who advised her to limit her calls to wives of only high "official rank." Calls were omitted which should have been made, and invitations declined which would better have been accepted. On the other hand, calls were made and invitations accepted which did not in any way further the social status of the chairman of the canal commission and his family.

Out of the enmity developing resulted the resignation.

FORAKER THE SAME FIGHTER AS OF OLD.

Just now Senator Joseph Benson Foraker of Ohio is one of the most prominent public men standing in the national limelight. Two causes—one carefully planned, the other accidental—bring Foraker well into the poem of the political story of the country.

First he is a candidate for the Republican nomination for president in 1908; second, he is the self-avowed antagonist of the present incumbent of the White House and all his works.

In both these situations Foraker stands out primarily as a fighter. And as a fighter the character of the man and the methods of the man appeal to all dabbler in the picturesque chronology of the day.

Foraker is one of the men in the senate who works. His enemies may say he is bitter; they may say he is revengeful; they may even say he is vindictive, but they cannot deny that he is everlastingly, incessantly busy.

He is up every morning before daylight, and it is after midnight nearly every night before he retires. During the most active sessions of the senate—no matter what fight he may have on hand—he never neglects to keep up his extensive line of reading.

Without exception, he is undoubtedly one of the best Latin and Greek scholars in public life. But busy as he is in Washington with the affairs of the nation and the affairs of his state—which state, by the way, keeps its senators fully occupied—he remains in close touch with the law, and does more legal practice when in Cincinnati than any other man in the United States senate.

That he is one of the hardest workers in congress is an established fact, but despite his hard work, he maintains his health.

"I believe that Foraker has been honest in this Brownsburg fight," said one close to the administration to me the other evening in Washington. "I believe he is sincere in the stand he has taken and is doing what he believes is right."

Those who heard Senator Foraker make his Brownsburg speech in the Senate the other day, and who knew him in the old "Fire Alarm" Foraker. They recognized in him the same old "Fire Alarm" Foraker. They recognized in him the same quiet spirit of repartee—the same eager sarcasm—the same alertness to recover a lost point. He is the same Foraker that he was 20 years ago. The years have whitened his hair, but it has not dimmed the enthusiasm and the fighting spark that has been within him since those school days when he "licked" his playmates.

NEGROES ARE SERVED IN RESTAURANT OF HOUSE.

Southerners are indignant because the other day for the first time in the memory of members of congress negroes have been served at the house of representatives restaurant.

While several southern men were dining in the portion reserved for members and their guests, a negro accompanied by a white woman entered, took seats at an adjoining table and ordered food as coolly as though they had no idea of the proceedings they were smashing.

The negro waiters served them with alacrity. Adamson, of Georgia; Randall, of Louisiana; Taylor, of Alabama, and a few other southerners were dining in the same room.

Representative Weeks, of Massachusetts, and Gardner, of Michigan, at an adjoining table, waited to see what the southern members would do. They did nothing. They continued to eat without starting a lynching bee.

After they had returned to the Democratic cloakroom they decided to "cut out" dining in the house restaurant hereafter. "We are not in the habit of dining with negroes," said one of them, "and we don't propose to do it now, even if it is permitted at the capital."

And only Saturday Senator Tillman, of South Carolina, gloated over the fact that there were places in Washington where negroes "could not drink with white men, and you senators know it is true."

"It is a good thing Senator Tillman was not eating in there when that colored man sat down," commented one of the negro waiters after the restaurant episode had occurred, "because there sure would have been something doing."

DAMAGE CAUSED BY SPURS OF OFFICERS.

It is only at the national capital that young women exploit the grievance about having their best gowns rent in twain by spurred officers of the army and navy and by the uniformed foreigners. It may be that spurs are called for by the regulations, but they are certainly a great nuisance when the White House is crowded to the doors and nearly all the feminine toilets are of fragile lace, chiffon and mull.

The older officers assert that the occasion is a burlesque, and if they successfully run the gauntlet in the blue room without destroying any gowns they are glad to back up in a corner of the east room and remain there all evening. The younger men are not so careful, and each levee has its list of victims of the spurs and clashing sword.

FROG INDUSTRY FAILS TO IMPRESS CONGRESSMEN.

Frogs are responsible for the abolition of one of the great agricultural department bureaus which spends annually about \$50,000.

This is the biological survey. When the item was reached in the agricultural appropriation bill the committee wanted to know exactly what the biological survey was.

"It is now engaged in establishing a new industry," a member of the committee answered.

"What is this new industry that has been going on at \$50,000 a year?" Representative Lamb of Virginia asked.

"It is studying zones in which frogs are the most prolific, in what kind of water they prefer to live, and how they can be raised," Representative Brooks told him.

"It don't take any \$50,000 a year for me to tell where frogs live and in what kind of water," Mr. Lamb insisted.

"But the frog industry bids fair to be important," Representative Brooks insisted.

"Only Frenchmen eat frog legs," insisted Representative Trimble of Kentucky, "and I'm opposed to raising frogs for our French population. If they must have frogs, let 'em bring 'em with 'em. It's class discrimination."

"We have horned toads in New Mexico," "Bull" Andrews explained.

"But I never heard of even a Digger Indian eating them."

"I've eaten frog legs and found them mighty good," Chairman Wadsworth said.

"Well, I wouldn't tell it," Scottfield of Texas interrupted.

A majority of the committee agreed with Mr. Lamb. The appropriation was not put in. This will knock out Dr. Charles T. Merriam, chief biologist, an assistant, and clerks and messengers enough to make a salary roll of \$8,000, together with the regular appropriation made for the bureau.

Friends of the frog hope to get a provision inserted in the senate.

AILING WOMEN.

Keep the Kidneys Well and the Kidneys Will Keep You Well.

Sick, suffering, languid women are learning the true cause of bad backs and how to cure them. Mrs. W. G. Davis, of Groves, Texas, says: "Backaches hurt me so I could hardly stand. Spells of dizziness and sick headaches were frequent and the action of the kidneys was irregular. Soon after I began taking Doan's Kidney Pill I passed several gravel stones. I got well and the trouble has not returned. My back is good and strong and my general health better." Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Be honest in your business relations. It pays to be honest.

PUTNAM FADELESS DYES color Silk, Wool and Cotton at one boiling, fast, beautiful colors. 10¢ per package.

Don't be too sure of the man who boasts of being sure of himself.

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Sporting Gossip.

THE WHITE PLAGUE

SYSTEMATIC WARFARE WAGED TO WIPE OUT CONSUMPTION.

Warning That Intemperance Increases the Liability to Contract Disease.

—Neglected Colds Prolific Sources.

Organized effort is now being made throughout the United States to fight consumption. A warning is given against intemperate habits, which increase the liability to consumption, while spitting is public places is deprecated, as the disease is frequently contracted from dried sputum.

Colds should not be neglected, as they leave the lungs in a peculiarly receptive condition for the tubercular germ. The following simple formula will break up a cold in twenty-four hours. A leading authority on lung trouble says that when prepared from pure ingredients, it will cure any cold that is curable.

Take half ounce Virgin Oil of Pine (Pine); two ounces glycerine and half pint good whisky. Shake well and use in teaspoonful doses every four hours.

The ingredients can be secured from any good prescription druggist at small cost, and to avoid substitution should be purchased separately and mixed in your own home.

Virgin Oil of Pine (Pine) is put up in half-ounce vials for dispensing. Each vial is securely sealed in a round wooden case, with engraved wrapper, with the name—Virgin Oil of Pine (Pine), prepared only by Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, O.—plainly printed thereon. There are many rank imitations of Virgin Oil of Pine (Pine), which are put out under various names, such as Concentrated Oil of Pine, Pine Balsam, etc. Never accept these as a substitute for the Pure Virgin Oil of Pine, as they will invariably produce nausea and never effect the desired result.

MOUNTAIN GUIDES FAIL HER.

Miss Peck Will Make Another Attempt Upon the Highest Andean Peak.

Miss Annie Peck, whose chief pleasure is climbing mountains, has returned to New York from Peru, beaten in her attempt to climb the highest of the Andes, beaten not by the mountain itself, but the worthlessness of the men she employed as guides and porters on the expedition. She is convinced that she would have reached the summit but for the faults of her men and says she is going back with Swiss mountain men to make another attempt.

As it was, she reached a height of 18,000 feet, being then about 2,000 feet above the summit. This was at her first attempt. One of her men deserted and the rest got drunk on the alcohol which was carried as fuel for cooking. Besides they were all afraid of the trip and especially as they approached the top of the mountain, of which they have a superstitious dread.

The second attempt was like the first, except that the men gave out sooner and so less progress was made before the attempt had to be abandoned.

His Practical Idea.

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PROFESSOR HAD LAST LAUGH.

Final Erasure Neatly Turned Joke on Students.

President Hadley, of Yale, was talking about his student days. "I remember a stately and venerable professor," he said, "upon whom some sophomores once tried to play a trick."

"The professor, one morning, being unable to attend to his class on account of a cold, wrote on the blackboard:

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"But it happened a few minutes later that the professor returned for a box he had forgotten. Amid a roar of laughter he detected the change in his notice, and, approaching the blackboard calmly erased one letter in his turn:

"Now the notice read:

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Organized effort is now being made throughout the United States to fight consumption. A warning is given against intemperate habits, which increase the liability to consumption, while spitting is public places is deprecated, as the disease is frequently contracted from dried sputum.

Colds should not be neglected, as they leave the lungs in a peculiarly receptive condition for the tubercular germ. The following simple formula will break up a cold in twenty-four hours. A leading authority on lung trouble says that when prepared from pure ingredients, it will cure any cold that is curable.

Take half ounce Virgin Oil of Pine (Pine); two ounces glycerine and half pint good whisky. Shake well and use in teaspoonful doses every four hours.

The ingredients can be secured from any good prescription druggist at small cost, and to avoid substitution should be purchased separately and mixed in your own home.

Virgin Oil of Pine (Pine) is put up in half-ounce vials for dispensing. Each vial is securely sealed in a round wooden case, with engraved wrapper, with the name—Virgin Oil of Pine (Pine), prepared only by Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, O.—plainly printed thereon. There are many rank imitations of Virgin Oil of Pine (Pine), which are put out under various names, such as Concentrated Oil of Pine, Pine Balsam, etc. Never accept these as a substitute for the Pure Virgin Oil of Pine, as they will invariably produce nausea and never effect the desired result.

MOUNTAIN GUIDES FAIL HER.

Miss Peck Will Make Another Attempt Upon the Highest Andean Peak.

Miss Annie Peck, whose chief pleasure is climbing mountains, has returned to New York from Peru, beaten in her attempt to climb the highest of the Andes, beaten not by the mountain itself, but the worthlessness of the men she employed as guides and porters on the expedition. She is convinced that she would have reached the summit but for the faults of her men and says she is going back with Swiss mountain men to make another attempt.

As it was, she reached a height of 18,000 feet, being then about 2,000 feet above the summit. This was at her first attempt. One of her men deserted and the rest got drunk on the alcohol which was carried as fuel for cooking.

Besides they were all afraid of the trip and especially as they approached the top of the mountain, of which they have a superstitious dread.

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Spring Excursions to Milwaukee.

The Jobbers and Manufacturers' Association has arranged for three excursions to Milwaukee during the month of March.

Any merchant in the Northwest is entitled to a rate of one and one-fifth fare for the round trip, not alone for himself and wife, but for anyone actively interested in his business.

You can buy tickets to Milwaukee as follows:

First Excursion, February 19th, to Milwaukee, and return home February 18th to March 6th.

Second Excursion, March 2d to 10th, and return home March 4th to 20th.

Third Excursion, March 16th to 24th, and return home March 18th to April 3d.

Purchase a ticket to Milwaukee only, at full fare, and at the same time for a five-cent stamp, pay for fare.

These certificates will entitle you to one-fifth fare to return home if validated at the Secretary's office, 45 University Building, at any time within the dates fixed.

By Endless Chain.

"Speaking of the 'endless chain prayer that is going the rounds,'" said the woman with the cheerful voice, "I can't see what good that can do, unless, maybe, it might start some poor wretches on the road to glory, but I got an awfully nice silk petticoat through an endless chain once. The manufacturers sent letters asking for five names and ten-cent pieces. I sent five names and the ten-cent piece, not thinking much about it, just trying it, and it wasn't long before they sent me this lovely silk petticoat. It was the nicest sort of silk, too. As long as I wore it it didn't croak."

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